

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph bridging pages 4 and 5, with the following amended paragraph:

The saw chain 12 can be mounted on the circular disc 4 with the driving links 6 projecting radially inwards into the groove 14. By moving the saw chain 12 in the groove 14 along the circumference of the disc 4 until each driving link 6 comes in the centre of a recess 18, the saw chain 12 can be joined together in a conventional way with two securing plates (not shown) and thus does not need to be tensioned very tightly. The length of the saw chain 12 and the circumference radius r_0 of the disc 4 are related in such a way that, when the saw chain is mounted, the radius r_{ld} to the part 22 of each driving link of the chain that projects radially inwards is greater than the radius r_{sb} to the bottom of the groove and smaller than the radius r_u to each projection. That is apparent from Fig. 2, which demonstrates that in the neutral (non-driven) position of the disc, the saw chain is only loosely mounted on the disc, and there exists play between the saw chain and the disc in both the radial direction and the circumferential direction.